

As Part Of Plan To Put His Gig Come Back Into Try-To Buy Co Fields In Pike County

(By Associated Press)
Detroit, Mich., Dec. 22.—Henry Ford's decision to construct a \$6,000,000 plant near Chicago for building automobiles, bodies and assembling automobiles is only a step in a gigantic program of the part of the Ford Motor company "that will rank as one of the greatest industrial developments the world has ever known," it was stated at the Ford Company's offices here today. The statement said: "The fundamental idea is to create more jobs." Asked how the Ford development program might go on the answer was Ford himself did not know, "but he does feel that it is fast as he makes money he is morally bound to put that money back into industry to provide more families with incomes and enhance the prosperity of the entire country." Meanwhile large plants are also projected near New Orleans and St. Louis.

Ford To Buy Pike County Coal Lands
(By Associated Press)

New York, Dec. 22.—Henry Ford is negotiating for the purchase of the coal lands, mining plants and equipment of the Pond Creek Coal Company in Pike county, Ky., it was announced here today by T. B. Davis, president of the coal concern. He said the negotiations will be completed before the end of the year. Davis said he issued the statement in view of rumors current in the press and in order that our stockholders might be correctly informed about what is transpiring. He said all the company's lands and equipment in Pike county are concerned in the impending transaction.

NO XMAS PARDONS FOR WAR PRISONERS
(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 22.—It is understood no federal prisoners sentenced for violating the wartime laws will get Christmas pardons. The president has been urged to extend clemency to those still in penitentiaries.

MISSING MEN FOUND IN LAKE
(By Associated Press)

Shreveport, La., Dec. 22.—The badly decomposed body of a man believed to be Watt Daniels and Thomas Richards, missing victims of the Morehouse parish mob last August, were found today in Lake La Fourche. The limbs of the dead men were tied with wire. Their bodies were nude except for belts and portions of trousers. One man's head was gone. The bodies came to the surface as a result of a charge of dynamite exploded during the night by unidentified persons. It is believed those who used the explosive left without knowing the bodies had risen to the top.

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR SLAIN OFFICERS
(By Associated Press)

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 22.—News reaching here today said a memorial service will be held by the churches at Owingsville Sunday afternoon for Robt. Smith, David Treadway and Guy Cole, prohibition agents, who were killed in battles with moonshiners in Menifee county last week.

Brew Kicking Out Four Professors

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 22.—Resignation of four instructors at North Carolina State College of Agriculture and Engineering have been requested as a result of charges that they made home brew in their rooms. Dr. W. C. Riddick, president of the institution, in making this announcement today, declined to give further details except to confirm reports that the action followed an investigation by students.

DAN CUPID BUSY AT JOYOUS YULETIDE

The approach of Christmas seems to have inspired Dan Cupid to work harder as there have been thirteen marriage licenses issued from the office of County Clerk W. B. Turley so far this week. Three or four is the average number issued weekly under normal conditions. Those issued this week are as follows:

Eance Lawson, 22, of Kirksville, son of Lark Lawson, and Lucy Belle Lear, 16, of Kirksville, daughter of J. M. Lear.

H. Bennett Farris, son of E. C. Farris, and Mrs. R. O. Lackey, daughter of J. R. Buckwalter.

Marion C. Hagan, 21, of Lancaster, son of Smith Hagan, and Adda Jo Wagers, 17, of Kirksville, daughter of C. P. Wagers.

Arthur Pursifull, 17, of Richmond, son of L. F. Pursifull, and Jane Fox, 24, of Shaile, daughter of Marshall Fox.

McKinley Brock, 21, of Red House, son of Eath Brock, and Nancy Thomas, 25, of Red House, daughter of J. C. Thomas.

Shirley Richmond, 25, of Berea, son of Sam Richmond, and Anna Wathen, 23, of Berea, daughter of Lige Wathen.

Earl H. Doyle, 26, of Paris, son of Alfred Doyle, and Willie Maye Deatherage, 21, of Red House, daughter of John Deatherage.

Harry Sebastian, 16, of Richmond, son of J. W. Sebastian, and Beulah Previtt, 16, of Richmond, daughter of Elzie Previtt.

Eldon Taylor, 28, of Newby, son of H. L. Taylor, and Lula Fortune, 24, of Berea, daughter of Alex Fortune.

W. S. Bowman, 25, of Kingsfield, son of J. T. Bowman, and Amanda Burrus, 29, of Richmond, daughter of W. N. Burrus.

John Peele, 22, of Richmond, son of Robert Peele, and Delva Hiatt, 17, of Richmond, daughter of G. C. Hiatt.

Charles Baker, 24, of Brassfield, son of Samuel Baker, and Edna Bowles, 17, of Brassfield, daughter of Harvey Bowles.

Luther S. Powell, 31, of Richmond, son of E. J. Powell, and Marietta Hackett, 27, daughter of Jacob Hackett.

KENTUCKIANS IN BOOZE CONSPIRACY
(By Associated Press)

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 22.—The Post today printed a story from Indianapolis saying a number of prominent Kentucky and Indiana men were indicted by the grand jury there charged with conspiracy to violate the prohibition law through theft of 18 barrels of whiskey from the Krogman distillery warehouse at Tell City, Ind., a year ago. All the whiskey in the warehouse was siphoned out through a rubber hose. After the liquor was removed, oil was poured on the building and set afire. Those indicted include Ivory Phillips, Thomas A. Owens and Jesse Williams, of Owensboro.

HISTORIC CHURCH LOST IN FLAMES
(By Associated Press)

Quebec, Dec. 22.—Fire destroyed the historic million dollar Notre Dame Catholic church here today. It is believed of incendiary origin. This is the ninth Catholic edifice to be visited by serious fire this year.

ALUMNI DROP TWO GAMES TO MADISON

Local High School Boys Win Easy 19 To 11 Victory — Girls 4 To 1

Madison Hi scored a double victory in basketball Thursday night when the girls won over the Alumni by a score of 4 to 1, while the boys were victors in their game by 19 to 11. Both of the games were hard fought with the Madison teams having the edge on the former stars.

Boys' Game

The Madison boys won their second straight victory in capturing their contest by the 19 to 11 count. The Alumni took the lead in the first few minutes when Kunkle made a dandy running shot under the basket. The score was tied in a few seconds when Higgins shot an easy goal. Gentry added a nice one from the field which gave the Madison five a lead not to be overcome. The game was somewhat rougher than usual. Neither team added fame by good passing but the Madison boys were slightly superior. Talton Stone made a field goal and the Madison boys shot four foul which left the score 8 to 4 at the close of the first period.

In the second period only one field goal was made which was tossed by Earle Jones. The ball was passed freely in the center of the floor but when a team advanced to the 15 foot mark it was usually broken up and returned down the floor. The guarding during the period was superb.

The high school boys demonstrated in the last period why they won the game. They passed well using this mainly in scoring their four field goals. Captain Clouse came to life and caged two baskets. He followed the ball well and took advantage of every opportunity. Gumbert, T. Stone and Hurst, threw field goals for the Alumni. This was the last game before the Christmas holidays and was witnessed by a good crowd. The line-up:

Madison (19)—Clouse (8) and Higgins (5) forwards; Terrill center; Gentry (2) and Huguey (2) guards. Substitute: Jones (2).

Alumni (11)—H. Stone and T. Stone (5) forwards; Kunkle (2) center; Blevins and Hurst (2) guards. Substitute: Gumbert (2).

Girls' Game

In the girls' game when Madison defeated the Alumni 4 to 1 only one field goal was made, it being executed by Marion Terrill, Madison running guard. The game was exceedingly rough, causing the fine points of the play to be lost. However, the Madison girls showed improvement over their Winchester engagement in holding such players as Josephine Yates, Lucie Bennett and Dorothy Terrill without a field goal. They fought every inch of the way. Madison Terrill's field goal was a shot from in front of the basket after the Madison girls had passed the ball the full length of the floor. Evans and Terrill were best for Madison while Yates, Terrill and Bennett all covered the floor well for the Alumni.

The line-up:

Madison (4)—Moberly and Evans (3) forwards; Murphy center; Chenault and Terrill (2) guards. Substitutes: Blanton, Masters and Caswell.

Alumni (1)—Yates and Bennett (1) forwards; James center; O'Neil and Terrill guards.

First Baptist Church

Sunday school 9:30. Special program by the children. Morning service 10:45, subject "God With Us." A splendid musical program has been arranged for the morning service.

Methodist S. S. Notice

All members (pupils, teachers and officers) of the M. E. Sunday School are requested to be present at 9:30 a. m. Sunday, 24th. The Christmas treat will be distributed at that time; also a free will offering will be taken for the Orphans' Home. I. H. Boothe, Supt.

A BUSINESS MAN FOR GOVERNOR

(From Wilmore Enterprise)

Speaking of a business man for Governor, what is the matter with Judge W. R. Shackelford, of Richmond, Circuit Judge, who has demonstrated an ability to run a difficult and exacting office in a manner that has won the admiration and confidence of those who believe in justice administered impartially, according to the law and evidence before him.

If administering the law as it is written and prescribed, according to the letter and intent is indeed a business—and we hold that it is the highest and most vital business in this government today—then Judge Shackelford measures up to the full requirements of a business man. For this judge's court represents the best traditions of duty and enforcement of its demands.

Judge Shackelford wears no collar on or off the bench. Nobody knows this better than his personal friends. He only knows his duty as he sees it in a peculiarly clear and forceful manner. A just and well informed judge, who may—and does—temper justice with reasonable and proper mercy, but who knows neither class nor distinction before his bar he has won favor in his own circuit, and far beyond it, as an upright, fearless, competent man to whom duty is a guide and its enforcement a law. He has thus won the respect and confidence of men and women who believe a clean judge is the last resort for citizenship.

And what is the Governor of this, or any other state, but a judge who measures and balances. His decision is the final word in a large part of the questions that rise up to help or vex a people; whose ability to decide rightly, and whose nerve to enforce decision, make the State executive a lever for good government. And what business training is better for this position than the large experience gained on a bench where all sides of a case have to be presented, where study and knowledge of each case is essential and where decision must be made impartially and without regard to personal desires or political demands.

We have watched Judge Shackelford's course on the bench and have noted the confidence it has inspired in the clean-cut, straight hewing to the line of duty it has exemplified. We have been struck with the unprejudiced administration of his office and the respect it has inspired in his court. We believe his ability is unquestioned and his integrity undisputed. We further believe that such training as his office gives, added to this ability and integrity, is an excellent business asset for the duties of a governor unfettered by alliance and free from any entanglements or machines.

This article is written without the knowledge, and so far as we know, the consent of Mr. Shackelford. He has given no evidence, to our knowledge, that he wants the office of Governor, or would be a candidate for it. Nevertheless it is written. It is the expression of the editor of this paper as his belief, that if the people of Kentucky really want a good "business man" for governor, here is one, and this paper, with the light that it now has, would be glad to give him such support as it might in the event he became a candidate before his party.

J. C. CHENAULT WRITES ON DRY QUESTION

The Lexington Herald had a very interesting letter from Judge John C. Chenault, of Richmond, which will be read with interest. It follows: Your editorial in Tuesday's issue, "Sacrifices to the Moloch of Moonshine," should engage the attention and prayerful thought of every law and order loving citizen of the commonwealth. I agree with you in every conclusion reached in that editorial. The present system is inefficient to prevent the manufacture and sale of whisky.

Is there a way to do away with the search for the illicit still and thereby lessen the possibility of a recurrence of the tragedies you refer to? I think the time has come when remedy should be searched for, and a different course pursued to prevent the sale and use of whisky.

The object and aim of the present prohibition amendment was to protect the individual and if possible, to have sober citizens instead of drunken citizens. The law is as much opposed to the illegal use of whisky as it is to the manufacture of illegal whisky.

Many years ago an effort was made by our citizens to induce our people to sign what was then known as the Murphy pledge by moral suasion.

Our young men were patrons of the many saloons in our city, and the slogan was "Wean the calves and the cows would go dry."

I believe that sentiment should be revived, and instead of risking so much to run down the moonshiner, let us give more attention to the consumers who make it possible for the moonshiner to engage in his illegal business.

As a rule, the consumer is a higher class of citizen than those who enter into the illegal manufacture and sale of whisky. He can be deterred by probable punishment from the purchase of whisky much easier than the one who makes it.

Think of it from this stand-

READY FOR CITY'S COMMUNITY SANTA

The baskets of substantial toys and fruits and candies, being supplied by the Welfare League, the Rotary and Exchange Clubs and the Community Club, will be distributed from the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 2:00. Representatives of the Exchange and Rotary Clubs will furnish cars and make the distribution to the various homes. They are asked to report promptly at 2 o'clock.

Peremptory Refused Defense in Herrin Case

Marion, Ill., Dec. 22.—Motions of the defense to exclude all the state's evidence and direct a verdict of not guilty were denied today at the trial of the five men charged in connection with the Herrin mine riots.

point and see if there could not be some legislation that would more vigorously deter the man that makes it possible for the moonshiner to thrive. If the moonshiner does not sell his illegal product he will not make the second run, and his plant will become useless.

The fact that he is continuing to operate is evident from the condition of the drunken individual in every community. He can not hide the fact that he has been drinking. Nine men out of ten that buy whisky show it in some way, to the annoyance of those that know them.

I suggest that we give more attention to the consumer. If he buys from a man he does not know, give him the punishment of the guilty seller. Make the consumer of moonshine whisky an aider and abettor in the manufacture of the liquor, with the same punishment.

If proper legislation can be secured along this line, I believe the raiding for moonshiners will be over in a very short time.

JOHN C. CHENAULT

The wheels of a French automobile are so mounted that each of them rises independently on striking an obstruction, the body of the car remaining level.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer tonight in the north and extreme west portions.

Friday's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Dec. 22.—Hogs 4-560; heavies, packers, medium, lights and pigs \$8.75; sows \$7; stags \$5; 700 cattle, steady; calves \$6 to \$13.50; sheep \$4 to \$6; lambs \$3; \$9 to \$14. Chicago 34,000 hogs, \$8.10; 4,500 cattle.

Louisville, Dec. 22.—Cattle 150 active; hogs 1,200, steady; sheep 100, steady; all unchanged.

CLAUDE MINOR IS HELD OVER

Danville, Ky., Dec. 22.—Claude D. Minor, charged with making false entries in the books of the Peoples Bank and Trust Co., which was closed by State Banking Department October 2, and of wrongfully converting property belonging to another, was given an examining trial by County Judge George W. Coulter Thursday morning. His bond was fixed at \$4,500 for his appearance in the January term of circuit court.

Witnesses for the Commonwealth were J. M. Smith, special banking commissioner, Jordan Mays and Gilbert White, assistant cashier and George A. Hughes, who left his Liberty bonds at the bank for safe keeping and was unable to secure their return.

Smith, who is winding up the affairs of the bank, testified as to the false entries wherein the Citizens National Bank of Danville was charged with \$6,000 and "A. Mann," was shown to have made a deposit of \$10,000 the latter for the purpose of showing a greater reserve when the bank statement was sent in, and the former to show funds with which the bank could declare its July dividend. Jordan Mays testified that he made the false entries on the books at the request of Minor. He said that no one in the bank was benefited by the false entries as both were later charged off.

The prosecution did not show in any of its testimony that Minor or any other official of the bank personally received any benefits from the transaction and mistakes; but it was shown that the condition of the bank might have come to light sooner if the entries had been omitted.

B. I. MILLION HAS NARROW ESCAPE

B. I. Million, of Newby, had a narrow escape from serious injury when partially loaded wagon ran over him. While he was engaged in loading a wagon with tobacco stalks his foot became entangled in the stalks, throwing him down, and both wheels passed over his body. Fortunately he received only a broken rib, the scattered stalks shielding his body from greater injury. Mr. Million will probably be confined to his room several days. His many friends are glad to know his condition is regarded by physicians as favorable and they hope to see him out very soon.

BALLARD TRIALS SET FOR JANUARY 3

Father of Two Menifee County 'Shiners Admits He's Guilty in Part'

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 22.—Examining trial of Charles Ballard, Jeff Ballard, Albert Ballard, Joe Clem, Will Ferguson and Ed Refitt on half a dozen or more charges resulting from moonshine raids in Menifee county in which three federal officers and Bob Ballard, alleged leader of an outlaw band, were killed, has been set for January 2. The trial will be held here in the court-house.

Charles Ballard, who surrendered to Sheriff Ben Wells, of Menifee county, after the fatal battle of last Friday in which Prohibition Agent Guy Cole and Bob Ballard were killed, was not brought from the jail, his condition from wounds received in the fight being such that he could not go to the federal building.

The other five defendants were remanded to the county jail without bond by United States Commissioner W. H. Wood, of Mt. Sterling, to await their examining trial.

All except Jeff Ballard entered pleas of not guilty when the warrant charging them with the various offenses was read.

Jeff Ballard, 59, father of Bob, Charles and Albert Ballard, when asked what his plea to the warrant was, answered:

"I plead guilty to some of it." Jeff said all he knew about the still or the whole business was that he took two men to the still one time "a right smart while back."

He said he did not know their names. When he was questioned a little further he said he was at the still one other time. That was when he took his team at the request of Montgomery county officers, December 9th, to haul out the body of Prohibition Agent R. E. Duff, who had been killed while attempting to enter the still house several hours earlier.

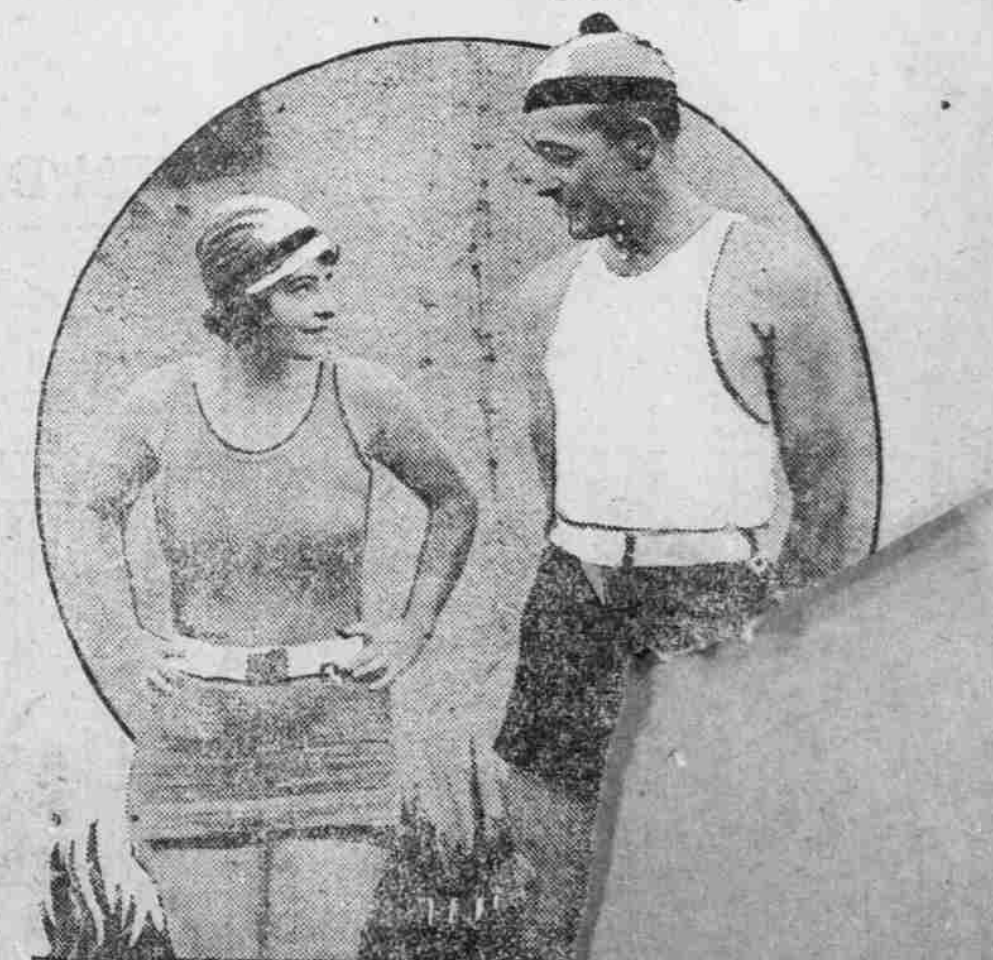
BUYS A NEW HOME IN CITY

B. Bogie has moved into his new home on Broadway which he purchased from C. A. Taylor. The house was formerly occupied by J. N. Hendren. The price paid was near \$5,000.

Stanford Chiropractor Acquitted

The Stanford Journal says: Dr. W. S. Mory, the well known chiropractor, of this city, was tried Wednesday on a writ charging him with practicing his profession without a license. The document was sworn out at the instance of the State Board of Health, and the trial was before Judge Sam J. Bell and a jury. Dr. Mory was defended by Attorneys K. S. Alcorn of this city, Morrison, of La. Cross, Wis., and Green, of Louisville. County Attorney K. J. Francis was unable in the prosecution. The verdict was a victory for Dr. Mory and his many friends are warmly congratulating him.

Movie Star in Happy Days



Another heavy blow landed on the movie beloved of the feminine fans, fell from his home before the movie star was forced to c